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March 25, 2011

Mr. Gary Miller, Remedial Project Manager U.S. EPA, Region 6 Superfund Division (6SF-RA) 1445 Ross Avenue, Suite 1200 Dallas, Texas 75202-2733

Re:

Final Remedial Alternatives Memorandum, dated March 10, 2011 Gulfco Marine Maintenance Federal Superfund Site

Freeport, Brazoria County, TX

Dear Mr. Miller:

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ), Remediation Division, has completed review of the *Final Remedial Alternatives Memorandum (Memorandum)*, dated March 10, 2011. The Memorandum was prepared by Pastor, Behling, & Wheeler, LLC of Round Rock, Texas on behalf of LDL Coastal Limited LP, Chromalloy American Corporation, and Dow Chemical Company, collectively referred to as the Gulfco Restoration Group. The previous comments from the TCEQ ecologist on the draft version have been adequately addressed via the addition of text into Section 1.2.3 of the Memorandum. As other previously submitted documents have shown that no unacceptable ecological risk to higher trophic level receptors and benthic invertebrates is present at the site, the TCEQ has no further comments.

If you have any questions please, contact Larry Champagne at (512) - 239-2158, or me at (512) 239-6368.

Sincerely,

Ludmila Voskov, P.G. Project Manager Superfund Section Remediation Division

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cc: Larry Champagne, Technical Support Section, Remediation Division, TCEQ